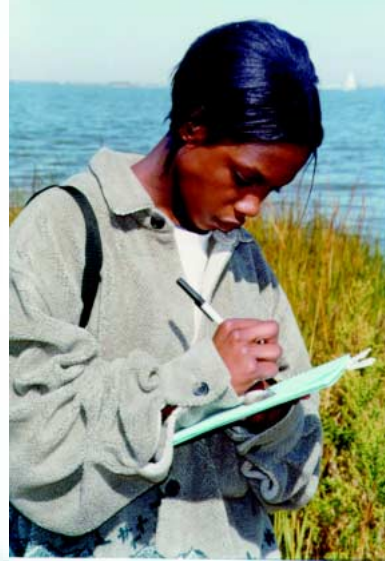


“The goal of this workshop is to bring each student to the realization that healthy aquatic ecosystems are valuable resources, which provide human communities with clean water, food, recreation and unique traditions. The participants bring their excitement and enthusiasm and leave knowing how each of us can make a difference. The students’ level of respect for the environment is impressive. It is our hope that all South Carolinians will learn from one another and work to conserve our natural treasures for generations to come.” ~

Briana Timmerman, DNR’s, Land, Water and Conservation Division

“This cooperative educational effort really provided some unique opportunities for students to experience their coastal environments. The Marine Resources Division is interested in participating in these types of activities because we see the importance for students to understand how the fresh and saltwater of our state are linked together.” ~

Jaconda Lightburn,
DNR’s Marine
Resources Division



Carolina Coastal Adventure is a South Carolina Conservation Districts Foundation program in partnership with Santee Cooper, Old Santee Canal Park, Berkeley County, Berkeley Electric Cooperative, Berkeley Soil and Water Conservation District, SC Association of Conservation Districts and the SC Department of Natural Resources.



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Carolina Coastal Adventure provides an opportunity each year for high school students to spend a fun weekend on the coast while learning about South Carolina’s natural resources.

Get down and dirty
with other students
interested in the
outdoors!

adjust your viewpoint and make
new friends while canoeing
through a swamp

Discover medicinal uses of native
plants

Venture into the salt marsh at
low tide and see the amazing
creatures that live there

Enhance your own environment
by learning how to protect
water quality

Nestle in the sand around a beach
bonfire and listen to a Gullah
storyteller

Tour a water/sewer treatment plant

Understand how electricity is
generated by water

Ride through the tallest single-lift
lock in the United States

Explore Charleston Harbor from a
research vessel and trawl for the
creatures who live there



Participation

SC high school students in grades 9
and 10, who want to learn more about
our state's aquatic natural resources,
are eligible to attend.

To apply

Call your local Soil and Water
Conservation District (in the phone
book under county government) or call
the Carolina Coastal Adventure
Program Coordinator at
(803) 737-0800.
email:
btimmerman@water.dnr.state.sc.us



The Scoop

"Eighty teenage high school kids
from all around the state,
Left their homecoming football games to
learn of our water's fate.
We got a nifty water bottle, a journal and
some beds,
And Tammy got a South Carolina map to
show us watersheds.

Canoeing down the Ol' Santee we
caught bugs for "tell and show",
On to the sanitation factory where they
cleaned the water from—
Well, you really don't want to know!

We bonded at the fire while singin'
with Aunt Peggy Sue,
Then we went to Charleston, still a lot
to do.

We went out on the boat and caught a
lot of fish,
But now I've got to pack my stuff,
All these people, this entire place I know
I'm going to miss."

*Kelsey Worrell
October 15, 2000*



It's Free!

Generally students are sponsored by
their local Conservation District, and
remaining costs are covered by program
partners.

